

City News ...In Brief

(From Thursday's Daily.)

Business Visitor.

Oscar Grunlund, Ash Fork business man, arrived in the city yesterday, and will return home today.

Business Visitor.

William Ritter of Kirkland Valley was an arrival yesterday and is here on official business for a few days.

Brief Business Trip.

John Wilson returned yesterday from a brief business and pleasure trip to the Capital City, his former home.

Stockman Visits.

William Allen, one of the large cattle owners of the Williamson Valley country, was in the city yesterday on business.

Return to Country.

H. L. Southick and William W. Williams, former residents of the Bradshaw Mountains, returned yesterday from Victor, Colo., and will leave tomorrow for Crown King.

Visited Friends.

C. F. Lincoln, jeweler of Jerome, after a few days in the city visiting with former acquaintances, returned home yesterday.

Back From Coast.

M. L. Earnhart, after several months of an absence in California, returned yesterday and will make this section his home.

Attorneys Leave.

E. S. Clark, H. F. Ashurst and P. W. O'Sullivan left yesterday for Flagstaff, to attend District Court, which is now in session.

Mayer Visitor.

Ish Davis of Mayer was an arrival in the city yesterday and will remain for several days on a business and pleasure visit.

Stockman Visitor.

Louis Gruwell, stockman of the Lower Agua Fria country, was in the city yesterday from Mayer, and reports prosperous conditions in the industry.

From the Mines.

Thomas Isakson, operating mines in the Big Bud district, was an arrival from his camp yesterday for a few days' visit with friends and on business.

Joins Husband in City.

Mrs. E. W. Stephens and daughters, the Misses Layle and Eleanor Stephens, arrived yesterday from Ferguson Valley, joining Mr. Stephens, who has returned from the eastern part of the county on an assessing trip.

Returns North.

Ed. Shively left last night for his home in Ash Fork, after several days of a trip in the western part of the county on a prospecting expedition. He will return in a few days to continue his field work for a mine that is in the last column.

Lured By the Boosters.

The visit of the Prescott boosters to Phoenix and their alluring descriptions of our superb summer climate, made such an impression upon Irwin J. S. Loeb, the able city editor of the Arizona Democrat, that he immediately struck his chief for a vacation, and the same being granted, he took the next train for "The Place to Live." He arrived Monday, and although he intended only to remain a fortnight, he now feels like tarrying all summer.

En Route Home.

Fred Crothers and James Woodford, miners, who have been in the Copper Creek section for several months, arrived in the city yesterday, en route to their homes at Santa Ana, Cal., for a visit with relatives. They will leave tomorrow and return later.

Return From Outing.

Miss Grace Gordon and Miss Pauline Johnston of Phoenix, after several days of an outing at Fair Oaks, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Eckels, returned to the city yesterday, and will remain for an indefinite visit with friends. They are at the Hotel St. Michael.

Visiting Mother.

Ellsworth Monroe, one of the large owners of farming lands in the Verde Valley, arrived yesterday, and will remain for several days, visiting with his mother, Mrs. S. D. Monroe, a resident of this city. He gives a flattering account of ranch and range conditions in that country.

Looking for Brother.

Miss Erminie Stultzer of Lancaster, Pa., arrived yesterday and is looking for a brother, Peter B. Stultzer, who about two years ago was a resident of this city and a miner by occupation. She is anxious to learn of his whereabouts, that an estate involving a considerable sum, may be adjudicated.

Returns to Coast.

R. S. Masson, chief engineer of the Electrical Operating Construction company, after a few days in the city, looking after interests of the Arizona Power company, a subsidiary corporation, returned to Los Angeles yesterday, where a branch office is maintained with the Eastern house. Mr. Masson states that it is probable the power lines of his company will be extended in the near future to cover mining fields to the south of this city.

(From Friday's Daily.)

Return From Phoenix.

Mayor and Mrs. Morris Goldwater returned yesterday from a brief visit with friends in Phoenix.

Rangemen in City.

Thomas and Charles King, well known rangemen of Big Chino valley, are in the city on business for a few days.

Visited Capital City.

Sergeant and Mrs. R. Walter and Sergeant and Mrs. J. T. McDonald returned to Whipple yesterday, after a few days in Phoenix, visiting with friends.

Popular Teacher Here.

Miss Kate Coughran, popularly known in teaching circles, was an arrival yesterday from Skull Valley, and will visit with friends for a few days.

Visited Relatives.

James Evans, a retired wealthy farmer of Salt River Valley, was a brief visitor to the city yesterday with his cousin, Mrs. Ben. V. Weaver and others. He is en route to Hartford, Kan., and resides at Peoria, near Phoenix.

Mine Operator Here.

Chas. K. Crosby, operating mines on the Santa Maria, was an arrival in the city yesterday on business, and will return to his camp today. He is running his mill and performing considerable development with satisfactory results.

Returns From Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bailey, the former the superintendent of the U. V. & P. railway, returned yesterday from a brief pleasure trip to Los Angeles. They accompanied ex-Senator Clark and party to the coast from Jerome a few days ago.

Come to Locate.

William Harding and nephew, Ezra Harding, of Willets, Cal., arrived in the city yesterday and will leave for the Verde Valley today, where they have relatives. Both are practical farmers and come to make this county their home. They state they will later be followed by others.

From the Mines.

Robert G. Scherer, son of A. G. Scherer, general manager of the Tiger Gold company, was an arrival yesterday from Harrington on a business visit. He is filling a responsible position with that company and reports the good showing as continuing with the mill dropping stamps day and night.

Enjoyed Visit.

George A. Mauk, Territorial auditor, returned to his duties at the capital yesterday, after a few days pleasantly passed among his many friends in the city. Mr. Mauk contemplates spending considerable of his time in Prescott this summer, and is an enthusiastic exponent of the city's attractions in climate and scenery.

Returns From Front.

Captain E. J. Mitchell of Company E. N. G. A., of this city, who was assigned with the regulars on the border, near San Diego, has arrived home. He participated in the field maneuvers for two weeks, and reports the experience as beneficial and instructive. Mrs. Mitchell did not accompany him home, remaining with friends in Los Angeles for a visit. She will return early in May.

From Big Placer Works.

C. Benjamin Hayes, superintendent of the Yavapai Bullion Mining company of Copper Basin district, is in the city for a few days on business. He reports that construction work on the dam in Copper Basin Wash will be started in a few days, or as soon as the bids of many contractors are passed upon. It is estimated that about five weeks will be consumed in the work. The aim of the management is to have this storage plant ready to catch the summer rains and to begin sluicing the ground immediately afterward. The impounding enterprise will have a capacity of 20,000,000 gallons.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Goes to Range.

Ray Hill has gone to the Camp Wood country, where, with Paul Wright, he is interested in the live stock industry.

Goes to Hillside Mines.

H. R. Wood left yesterday for the Hillside mines, where John Lawler, the owner, is preparing to resume operations on a large scale.

Jerome Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Lubin, J. Cooper and Louis Price were arrivals from Jerome, yesterday, and will remain for a few days on business and pleasure.

Mayer Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. W. White of Mayer were arrivals in the city yesterday and will remain for a few days visiting with friends.

Heavy Liquor Revenue.

Sheriff Smith yesterday turned in to the county treasury the sum of \$15,390, license tax for the retail liquor houses of the county for the year beginning April 1, 1911, which, with previous collections, gives a total of over \$19,500 received from this source of business.

Business Visitor.

Charles Korrick, one of the representative business men of Phoenix, was an arrival yesterday, and will remain for a few days on pleasure.

From Placer Works.

Edward Meltzer, identified with the Yavapai Bullion Mining company, was an arrival yesterday from his

camp in Copper Basin, on a business visit for a few days.

Leaves for South.

O. Longacre, Jr., consulting engineer of the Development Company of America, left yesterday for Southern Arizona, on a business trip.

Flying Visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cook of Mayer paid a flying business visit to the city yesterday, returning home late in the evening.

Attorneys Return.

Reese M. Ling, H. F. Ashurst and P. W. O'Sullivan, attorneys of this city, who have been looking after interests of clients during the present term of court in Flagstaff, returned yesterday.

Returns From North.

George Ward, many years ago, a miner of the Crook Canyon district, and late of Rossland, B. C., has returned to this country, and will again take to the hills to prospect. He is accompanied by William Neville.

Attorney Leaves.

F. L. Haworth of the firm of Clark, Haworth & Stewart, attorneys, left yesterday for Jerome, where the preliminary examination of the Moore brothers is to take place today on the charge of horse stealing. The complaining witness is said to be L. A. Willard of the Verde Valley.

Took Trail Route.

H. J. Meany, general manager of the Yavapai Consolidated Gold, Silver and Copper Mining company, in the Bradshaws, arrived in the city yesterday on horseback from the Old Tiger mine, and will remain until tomorrow.

Business and Pleasure.

E. T. McGonigle, one of the big lumber manufacturers of Flagstaff, was an arrival from the north yesterday, and will remain for a few days on business for his firm. Incidentally he will take in the baseball game tomorrow.

Returns From Coast.

Mrs. H. T. Southworth returned yesterday from Los Angeles, where she has been visiting with friends for several weeks. She was accompanied by Miss Irene Dickson, daughter of Mrs. Van Dickson of Skull Valley, who has been visiting in that city.

Leaves for Old Home.

After an absence of fifteen years from Clinton, Iowa, Owen Nesbit, a miner of the Lower Turkey Creek section, left yesterday to visit with his aged parents for a few weeks. He is in receipt of letters stating that his mother is very ill and not expected to live.

Goes to New Location.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Albertson have decided to change their residence from the Lynx Creek section, and hereafter will locate in Big Chino valley, taking over the old Thorne ranch. Mr. Albertson will engage in live stock raising at the new place on quite a large scale.

Goes to Mountains.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gray, of Jerome Junction, are in the city making arrangements to leave in a few days for the Mogollon Mountains where they annually spend the summer. The sheep of Mr. Gray are being returned from the desert and were at Dewey, yesterday.

Summer Outing.

R. S. Wilson and Victor Muzzey, well known miners of this section, will leave today overland for the White Mountains, near Fort Apache, where they will spend the summer camping out. Mr. Muzzey has visited that country before, and pronounces it a most ideal place for recreation, game, fish and beautiful scenery being among the attractions.

Defers European Trip.

On account of business engagements, Mrs. J. Paul of Jerome Junction, while in the city yesterday, stated that the contemplated trip to Europe she and her son, Vaughn Paul, and his wife, were to take, had been deferred until the latter part of May. She is also contemplating removing to Flagstaff, to conduct a hotel, having been offered attractive inducements.

Pioneer Visitor.

Judge A. J. McPhee, one of the best known pioneers was an arrival from Rickenbar, yesterday, and was greeted by many friends. He recently closed the sale of a group of three mines in that section to E. C. Doering. Judge McPhee is regarded as one of the strong men of Jeffersonian democratic principles, and an active worker on all political occasions.

Pleased with Country.

Mrs. George M. Drum of Minneapolis, and Mrs. Mary F. Shephard, of Crete, Nebraska, sisters of A. G. Curtis, mining man of Walker, after a week at the above camp, returned to the city yesterday and continued their journey to the coast. This is their first western trip and the novelty of the scenery with the excellency of the climate, has favorably impressed them.

Financiers Return.

W. H. Doyle of the Bank of Arizona, and Morris Goldwater, president of the Prescott National Bank, both members of the executive committee of the Territorial Bankers' Association, have returned from a consultation in Phoenix, with others of that organization. The selection of a place and the date for holding this year's meeting was under consideration, but no decision was reached.

RECOVERS FROM INJURIES.

Elmer Eldridge, who was afflicted with blood poisoning after having had his finger cut in opening a can of vegetables, returned yesterday to his range on the Hassayampa, after submitting to medical treatment. At one time it was believed amputation would be necessary to save his life. He considers his escape a miraculous one.

BUYS REALTY

(From Saturday's Daily.)

William Ritter of Kirkland valley, yesterday, purchased a strip of land in Miller valley 25 by 40 feet from Dr. W. E. Day, for which the sum of \$100 was paid.

MARLEYS HELD IN COCONINO

Arrivals from Flagstaff yesterday bring the information that the three Marley brothers of Navajo county had complaints lodged against them for cattle stealing in Coconino county, and in a preliminary examination held at Flagstaff, on Thursday, were bound over to the grand jury in the following sums: Heck and G. D. Marley in \$2,000 each, and "Dutch" Marley in \$100. They are accused of stealing one animal belonging to O. L. Hart. The same defendants were recently bound over to the grand jury in Navajo county in the sum of \$30,000 for the alleged theft of several cattle.

CASPER HECK S PAINFULLY INJURED

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Casper Heck, one of the best known mining men of Northern Arizona, was painfully and it is believed seriously burned at his camp in Mohave county, last week, through the accidental explosion of black powder. He was brought to Prescott yesterday by his brother, J. M. Heck, and is now at the latter's home in this city. The unfortunate man shows the frightful effects of the explosion, his face being unrecognizable, his hearing destroyed, and his hands so badly burned as to be useless. His condition is pitiable, but it is believed he will ultimately recover. One favorable condition of the accident is that while his eyes are closed and he cannot open them, the sight of both is saved.

From his story of the accident it appears that he and his associate, William Bright, at their camp near the Tom Reed mine, concluded that it would be advisable to destroy half a keg of black powder in view of the danger of having it near the mine. Mr. Heck emptied the contents of the keg on the ground and attached a fuse to it. In striking a match to light the fuse the head of the match flew away from him a few feet and fell into the powder, when he was instantly enveloped in the flames, his head and hands receiving the full force and effect of the terrific blast as if from a furnace.

Immediately afterward he was taken to Kingman, suffering excruciating pain. That he may be tenderly cared for is the reason for bringing him to this city, where his brother and other relatives reside. He has desirable mining ground in that district, and formerly was a resident of this city, where he has many friends who will regret to learn of his sad misfortune.

GRAND MASTER INSTALLED.

PHOENIX, Ariz., April 25.—Pursuant to the instructions of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows, at its recent meeting in Globe, a special session of that body was held here yesterday for the purpose of installing as Grand Master, A. A. Ferguson of Douglas, who could not attend the Grand Lodge session at which he was elected. The installation was conducted by W. K. James, the retiring Grand Master, and occurred in the forenoon, Mr. Ferguson leaving for home last evening. The other officers participating were R. S. Longmoor, Deputy Grand Master; George A. Mintz, Grand Secretary; F. P. Trott, Grand Chaplain pro tem; N. A. Morford, Grand Marshal pro tem; Andrew Neilson, Grand Guardian pro tem. Mr. Ferguson was prevented from attending the Grand Lodge by the recent battle in Douglas, his duty as an undertaker requiring that he should stay and engage in the burial of the dead. He is the only officer ever elected by the Grand Lodge in his absence, and an exception was made in his case by resolution that he might perform a service to humanity without too great personal sacrifice.

PROJECT STARTED AT WALNUT GROVE

(From Thursday's Daily.)

A. A. Moore, who arrived yesterday from Walnut Grove, brings the interesting information that one of the most important mining projects ever inaugurated in that country is under operation at the J. G. Cox placer locations, in hydraulic methods. Eastern capitalists have taken an option on the ground and have installed heavy pumping machinery to prospect the soil. Careful measurements are being made and the results are said to be better than anticipated. Values running to \$1 a cubic yard have been returned, and the work will continue until large determinations have been made. Later the placing of a permanent plant will be considered, when a large amount of ground will be handled daily. The method pursued at present is to pump from a well in the Hassayampa river and play onto the gravel banks with a direct current that has sufficient force to melt the soil rapidly. No storage is resorted to and the work is of an experimental character to ascertain values. Mr. Moore states that the operations are attracting much attention and that the results obtained are the forerunner of others engaging in the industry on hydraulic or dredging principles.

AUDITOR MAUK INSPECTS NEW HIGHWAY

(From Thursday's Daily.)

George A. Mauk, auditor of Arizona, arrived in the city yesterday from Phoenix, and during his visit will make an examination of banking interests, as well as attend to other official business. He was preceded by his assistant, J. F. Tracey. Mr. Mauk is favorably known all over Arizona, and will remain for several days, this being his first trip to this section since assuming the duties of the office. He was the guest yesterday of R. N. Fredericks, president of the Chamber of Commerce, and was taken for an automobile ride by C. T. Joslin over the Territorial highway, around the Murphy Park and to other points of interest.

Governor R. E. Sloan, R. A. Craig, citizen member of the Board of Control, and J. B. Grand, Territorial engineer, will arrive today, and with Mr. Mauk a general investigation of Territorial interests in this section will be made. The completed road along the Territorial highway will be officially visited, and coincident with that trip it is probable the extension of the road work will be taken up for definite action.

Mr. Mauk is an enthusiastic supporter of the good roads movement, and through that avenue sees much good to follow in making the many scenic attractions of the country made known to the thousands of tourists who will come when the country is opened to them in good traveling condition.

BIG OPERATIONS PLANNED FOR CLIMAX

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

So favorably impressed was L. A. Snowden with the future of the Climax Mining company's properties on the Hassayampa, that it is said this mining enterprise in the very near future will be operated on a plan larger than ever before, in methods of mining and in capacity of reduction. Mr. Snowden visited the property as a mining engineer, and it is believed his investigations will be conclusive. He will, it is said, recommend the installing of a plant that will far exceed in tonnage the present facilities, while in mining methods there will be a larger plan of exploiting the ground than has ever before prevailed. He spent five days at the works, and examined into every detail of the company's interests in a critical manner. His observations were favorable, and he unhesitatingly endorsed the outlaying of additional capital as warranted.

The Climax interests recently came into prominence through mill runs of the free ores taken from the old workings, and the completion of mine work at certain points, after several large contracts had been performed. Mr. Snowden returned to Los Angeles yesterday, where the principal officers of the company reside. He was taken to the camp from this city by M. E. Spaulding, a resident stockholder.

DOUGLAS INJURED ARE CLAIMING DAMAGES

DOUGLAS, Ariz., April 26.—Persons who were injured by stray bullets while the two battles at Agua Prieta were in progress are preparing memorials to be sent to the Secretary of State of the United States, asking that indemnities be collected from the Mexican government. The matter of collecting indemnity must be instituted on the initiative of the person or persons injured. Affidavit is made before a proper officer and the memorial setting forth the circumstances of the case is then forwarded to the Secretary of State. The matter is then in charge of the diplomatic service of the government.

It is not known what amount of indemnity will be asked of the Mexican government, but it will be a large sum, it is said. Among those who will ask indemnity are John Keith, an American, aged 28, and Frank Williams, employed as a mechanic at one of the Douglas smelters. N. D. Navarette will ask indemnity in the sum of 10,000, but his claim has no connection with the revolution. His claim is based on a kidnapping charge, the offense having occurred, it is alleged, last September, while Navarette was in Mexico.

UNITED IN MARRIAGE.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

In the presence of only a few friends, the marriage of Miss Laura E. Cumberland and Albert W. Kohls was solemnized Thursday evening by Probate Judge Hicks. The groom is in charge of the Davis mine, on Slate Creek, while his bride is a recent arrival from the state of Washington. They left yesterday for the above mine where they will reside, followed by the congratulations of many friends for a prosperous future.

AWARDED CONTRACT.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

E. E. Hill, cement contractor, returned from Jerome yesterday, where he secured the contract for erecting the new concrete barn and stable for T. P. Miller & Co. The building will be of two stories, 36x56 feet, with a reinforced roof and fireproof. It will replace the structure recently destroyed by fire and be located on the same site.

ECLIPSE OF SUN SEEN THROUGH GLASSES

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Smoked glasses were in order today at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, when the sun, which was shining brightly at that time, suffered a partial eclipse. The eclipse was due to the sun hiding himself behind the moon, and was visible in the United States lying south of a line drawn from Cape Henlopen, on the coast of Delaware, to Astoria, Ore. The best points for the observation were the upraised group of coral islands known as the Vavau and Tofua, of the Samoan group. Many scientists traveled to these far off islands especially to observe and photograph this strange phenomenon.

Heretofore it has almost always been impossible to transport the best instruments to the favorable points of observation. The British expedition took with it three great telescope cameras in order that photographs might be taken of the corona—the radiant light which, during a total eclipse, surrounds the dark disc. Each telescope is of a different scale, in order that varying photographs may be obtained. The expedition has also a six-inch prismatic camera which contains four prisms, each of which is ten inches square. The prisms, acting between the sun and the lens, split the light into different colors, each color indicating an independent element.

OPERATING QUIETLY.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

John Curran, who is developing mines on Lynx Creek, was in the city yesterday, and reports development progressing satisfactorily on his interests. He maintains a small force and operates quietly.

JOINS DRY FARMING.

(From Saturday's Daily.)

Moses Councilman has joined the dry farming element, filing on a 160 acre tract of land near Granite Mountain which he will utilize as homestead. His interests are near those of his business associate William Gribbott.

PUBLIC RECORDS.

Instruments Filed as Reported by The Prescott Title Co.

April 19, 1911

T. W. Jenkins to Eldridge Wanless, Bill of sale. Second hand store, etc., Prescott.

R. C. Heuston and F. E. Wager locate 2 mines, Silver Mountain district. United States to Reddick J. Cartwright, Patent. Lot 6 of Sec. 31 and lots 12, 13 and 14 Sec. 32, 14N., 2W.

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H. J. Gorman locates Robin mine, Black Hills district.

J. W. Jackson locates two mines, Peck district.

F. A. Meyer locates Pay Day mine, Walker district.

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W. A. Gill and J. W. Young locate Paradise placer and one water right, Black Canyon district.

C. H. Rutherford and Arthur W. Whitaker appropriate waters in Black Canyon, Verde district.

LeRoy Anderson and M. E. McNelly incorporate Hudson Mining company. Capital stock \$75,000.

M. Lichtenstein to Barney Giacomo—Lease; two years; \$25 per month. Lot 7, block 19, Prescott.

Thos. E. Zeigler to Thos. H. Zeigler—M. Deed; \$500. Nine quarters and two placer claims, Hassayampa district.

B. H. Smith and B. M. Belcher to J. L. Merwin—M. Deed. Two-third interest in Golden Fleece, Polar, Royal and Headwater mines, Castle Creek district.

R. E. Brooks files affidavit of assessment work on twelve mines, Castle Creek district.

Jos. H. Morgan et al incorporate Gladiator Mining company. Capital stock \$1,000,000.

T. G. Norris amends location of three mines, Hassayampa district.

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Henry Weigand and Mrs. Emma Newman locate Extension No. 4 mine.

Paul Burks appropriates waters of Granite Creek in Section 30, 15 N., 1 W.

W. H. Hill et al locate two mines, Thumb Butte district.

April 24, 1911.